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SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MAY 16, 2006

The City Council met at the above place and date. Meeting was called to order at 12:09 p.m. Mayor John Cook present and presiding and the following Council Members answered roll call:

Susie Byrd
Jose Alexandro Lozano
Melina Castro
Presi Ortega, Jr.
Eddie Holguin, Jr.
Steve Ortega
Beto O'Rourke

Absent:
Ann Morgan Lilly

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Motion made by Representative Lozano, seconded by Representative Byrd, and unanimously carried that the following Ordinance, having been **INTRODUCED** pursuant to Section 3.9 of the El Paso City Charter, be advertised for public hearing:

An Ordinance amending Title 3 (Revenue and Finance), Chapter 3.04 (Property Taxes) of the El Paso City Code by adding Section 3.04.035 (Exemption - Historically Significant Sites) in order to provide an exemption from taxation of certain property taxes for renovations completed to historically significant property to encourage the preservation of such properties; and to create an application and approval process for such exemptions.

PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON MAY 30, 2006.

Public Hearings will be held as part of the regular City Council meeting which begins at approximately 9AM. All interested persons present shall have an opportunity to be heard at that time. After the public hearings, Council may also delay taking action on Ordinances, no requirement is made by Section 3.9B of the El Paso City Charter to publish any further notice. Copies of all Ordinances are available for review in the City Clerk's office, 2 Civic Center Plaza, Monday through Friday, 8AM to 5PM.

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Motion made by Representative Presi Ortega, Jr., seconded by Representative Byrd, and unanimously carried to adjourn this meeting at 12:10 p.m.
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APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk